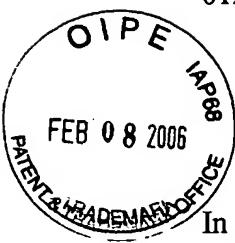


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LETTER CALLING ATTENTION TO ERRORS IN PATENT

Sir:

The following minor errors have been noted in the above-mentioned patent:

COLUMN 1:

Line 49, "recording" should read --recording,--.

COLUMN 2:

Line 16, "discharge" (second occurrence) should be deleted.

COLUMN 3:

Line 40, "provides an" should read --provided is an--;  
Line 43, "elemens" should read --elements--; and  
Line 67, "provides an" should read --provided is an--.

COLUMN 4:

Line 16, "provides an" should read --provided is an--;  
Line 18, "elemens" should read --elements--; and  
Line 35, "provides an" should read --provided is an--.

COLUMN 15:

Line 25, "an" should be deleted.

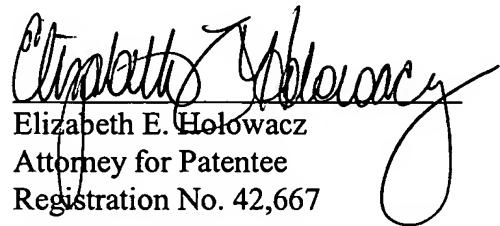
COLUMN 16:

Line 27, "an" should be deleted; and  
Line 62, "an" should be deleted.

These errors appear to be relatively insignificant and, therefore, we do not believe it is necessary to request a Certificate of Correction. However, it is requested that this paper be placed in the filewrapper of the above-identified patent.

Patentee's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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